State of Maryland State Labor Relations Board

In the matter of:)	
Carl Frederick Oltman, Sr.) SLRB UL	P Case No. 2015-U-07
)	
Petitioner,)	
)	
v.)	
)	
MD Department of Public Safety)	
& Correctional Services,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

Board Dismissal for Lack of Jurisdiction

Petitioner, Carl Frederick Oltman, Sr., is a former Physician Assistant employee with Wexford Health Services in Columbia, Maryland. Prior to this complaint, Mr. Oltman had been working under a contract between that company and the Department Public Safety & Correctional Services (DPSCS) for health services to the Jessup Correctional Institution ("Jessup"). On May 4, 2015, Mr. Oltman filed an unfair labor practice complaint before the State Labor Relations Board ("Board"), pursuant to COMAR 14.32.05. In his complaint, Mr. Oltman alleges that he was investigated regarding an incident at Jessup, locked out of the facility, and ultimately discharged from his position at Wexford Health Services. Mr. Oltman states that he sent a letter to the Warden at Jessup regarding the lockout (a copy of this letter is provided with the complaint), to which the Warden never responded. Mr. Oltman argues that the lockout, and ultimate the discharge by Wexford Health Services, happened improperly and without any input from him. As remedy, Mr. Oltman seeks an explanation for the lockout, and a reinstatement by Wexford Health Services.

Pursuant to State Personnel & Pensions Article § 3-205(a), the State Labor Relations Board "is responsible for administering and enforcing provisions of this title relating to employees described in § 3-102(a)(1)(i) through (iv) and (vi) through (ix) and (2) of this title." Petitioner's complaint is deficient because it fails to demonstrate that Petitioner is an employee of any unit of state government described in State Personnel & Pension Article §3-102(a)(1)(i) through (iv) and (vi) through (ix) or (2).

Accordingly, based on the discussion above, this complaint is dismissed.

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Appeal Rights

Any party aggrieved by this action of the Board may seek judicial review in accordance with Title 10 of the State Government Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, Section 10-222, and Maryland Rule 7-201, *et. seq*.